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SUBJECT: Decision on Terminal Disclaimer(T.D.) filed:

INSTRUCTIONS: I have reviewed the submitted T.D. with the results as set forth below. If you agree, please use the appropriate form paragraphs identified by this informal memo in your next Office action to notify applicant of the T.D. If you disagree or have any questions, please see me or the Special Program Examiner. THIS IS AN INFORMAL, INTERNAL MEMO ONLY. IT MUST NOT BE (1) MAILED TO APPLICANT OR (2) PLACED OF RECORD IN THE APPLICATION FILE. When your action is complete,


please initial, date and return this memo to me. THANK YOU.

- ☒ The T.D. is PROPER and has been recorded (see 14.23).
- ☐ The T.D. is NOT PROPER and has not been accepted for the reason(s) checked below (see 14.24):
- ☐ The TD fee of has not been submitted nor is there any authorization in the application file for the use of a deposit account
 - ☐ The T.D. does not satisfy Rule 321 in that the person who has signed the T.D. has not stated the extent of his/her interest (and/or the extent of the interest of the business entity represented by the signature) in the application/patent (see 14.26 & 14.26.01).
 - ☐ The T.D. lacks the enforceable only during common ownership clause - needed to overcome a non-statutory double patenting rejection, Rule 321(b) (see 14.27.01).
 - ☐ The T.D. is directed to a particular claim(s), which is not acceptable since "the disclaimer must be for a terminal portion of the term of the entire patent to be granted" (MPEP 1490) (see 14.26 & 14.26.02).
 - ☐ The person who signed the T.D.:
 - ☐ is not an attorney "of record" (see 14.29 and 14.29.01).
 - ☐ has failed to state his/her capacity to sign for the business entity (see 14.28).
 - ☐ is not recognized as an officer of the assignee (see 14.29 & possible 14.29.02).
 - ☐ No documentary evidence of a chain of title from the original inventor(s) to assignee has been submitted, nor is the reel and frame number specified as to where such evidence is recorded in the Office (see 37 CFR 3.73(b) and 1140 O.G. 72). NOTE: This documentary evidence or the specifying of the reel and frame number may be found in the T.D. or in a separate paper of record in the application (see 14.30).
 - ☐ The T.D. is not signed (see 14.26 & 14.26.03).
 - ☐ The serial number of the application (or the number of the patent) which forms the basis for the double patenting rejection is missing or incorrect (see 14.32).
 - ☐ The serial number of this application (or the number of the patent in reexam or reissue cases being disclaimed is missing or incorrect (see 14.26, 14.27.02 or 14.26.05).
 - ☐ The period disclaimed is incorrect or not specified (see 14.26, 14.27.02 or 14.26.03).
 - ☐ Other:
 - ☐ Suggestion to request refund (see 14.36). NOTE: If already authorized, credit refund to deposit account and do not check this item.

I have appropriately notified applicant(s) of the status of the Terminal Disclaimer filed in this case.

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Application Number 	Application/Control No. 09/820,467	Applicant(s)/Patent under Reexamination WOOD, CLIFTON W.	

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Date Filed : May 31, 2007	This patent is subject to a Terminal Disclaimer	

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Henry D. Jefferson



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TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

I, James D. Shaurette, residing at Liberty Lake, Washington, represent that I am the attorney of record for Micron Technology, Inc., a corporation of the state of Delaware.

Micron Technology, Inc. is the owner of all right, title and interest of this U.S. Patent Application having Serial No. 09/820,467, as evidenced by an assignment recorded February 19, 1998, at Reel 8985, Frames 0340-0343 in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and by a Notice of Merger of Micron Communications, Inc. to Micron Technology, Inc., recorded on November 8, 1999, at Reel 010364, Frame Nos. 0681-0691.

Micron Technology, Inc. is also the owner of all right, title and interest in U.S. Patent No. 6,275,476 as evidenced by an assignment recorded February 19, 1998, at Reel 8985, Frames 0340-0343 in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and by a Notice of Merger of Micron Communications, Inc. to Micron Technology, Inc., recorded on November 8, 1999, at Reel 010364, Frame Nos. 0681-0691.

The evidentiary documents have been reviewed, and I certify that, to the best of assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee seeking to take this action.

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Micron Technology, Inc. hereby disclaims the terminal part of any future patent granted on this U.S. Patent Application having Serial No. 09/820,467 which extends beyond the expiration date of U.S. Patent No. 6,275,476, and further hereby agrees that any future patent so granted on this U.S. Patent Application having Serial No. 09/820,467 shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title on the U.S. Patent No. 6,275,476 shall be the same as the legal title to any patent issued from this U.S. Patent Application having Serial No. 09/820,467. This agreement is to run with any patent granted on this U.S. Patent Application having Serial No. 09/820,467 and is to be binding upon the grantee of such patent and its successors or assigns.


Micron Technology, Inc. does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on this U.S. Patent Application having Serial No. 09/820,467 prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term of the United States Patent No. 6,275,476 in the event that it later: expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R. §1.321(a), has all claims canceled by a reexamination certificate, is reissued in any manner or is otherwise terminated prior to expiration of its full statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, except for the separation of legal title stated above.

The fee required by 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d) is submitted herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees or credit overpayments to Deposit Account No. 23-0925.

The undersigned, James D. Shaurette, hereby indicates that he is authorized to sign this document on behalf of the assignee, Micron Technology, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 5/29/07

By: 
James D. Shaurette
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